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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, Asthma has reached epidemic proportions in the
3 United States, affecting an estimated 26 million people; and

4 WHEREAS, Nearly 313,000 children in the State of Illinois
5 suffer from asthma; and

6 WHEREAS, Asthma is the leading cause of childhood
7 hospitalizations in the Illinois; and

8 WHEREAS, The health and well-being of each and every
9 citizen of Illinois is important; and

10 WHEREAS, The month of May is Asthma Awareness Month and the
11 date of May 7, 2013, is World Asthma Day; therefore, be it

12 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
13 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we proclaim May 2013 as
14 Asthma Awareness Month in the State of Illinois; and be it
15 further

16 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
17 presented to the Respiratory Health Association.